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In Re PATENT APPLICATION OF

Applicant(s): Kouji KITAHARA et al. Appln. No. : 10/593.820 AMENDMENT Conf. No. : 4741 AFTER FINAL REJECTION Filed : September 22, 2006

For LUBRICANT COMPOSITION, SPEED

REDUCTION GEAR USING THE LUBRICANT COMPOSITION, AND ELECTRIC POWER STEERING APPARATUS USING THE SPEED REDUCTION GEAR

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Sir:

This Amendment After Final Rejection is responsive to the final Office Action mailed March 9, 2011.

Amendments to the Claims are shown in a listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

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Reconsideration of the subject Application is requested in view of the following amendments and remarks